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## RESPONSE TO NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS

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Sir:

In response to the Notification of Missing Requirements, enclosed herewith is the duly executed Declaration and Power of Attorney, wherein the citizenship of the inventors has been indicated, and a copy of the "Notice" itself.

The surcharge was paid on filing and it is not believed that any Government Fees are required. However, if this is incorrect, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the missing fees to Deposit Account No. 19-5113.

This represents a complete response to the "Notification of Missing Requirements".

In the event that there are any questions concerning this Response or the application in general, the Examiner is respectfully urged to telephone the undersigned so that prosecution of the application can be expedited.

Respectfully submitted,

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## NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

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The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371;

- Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application
  by the international application number and international filing date. The current oath or declaration does
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ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

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